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In re Application of

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For: BACKPLATE FOR A PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL AND METHOD FOR
FABRICATING THEREOF

**COMMENTS IN REPLY TO EXAMINER'S
STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated November 5, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit the following Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Santiago for allowing claims 1-3, 5, 18-30, 22 and 24-32 in the above-identified patent application. However, Applicant cannot acknowledge these statements as they do not correspond to the recitations of the claims word-for-word (e.g., compare Examiner's Reason and claim 20. Further, it is the combination of the recited features which are allowable.) Applicants respectfully submit that each dependent claim is allowable for at least the additionally recited features therein and the combination thereof.

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Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the scope of the allowed claims should not be limited by the Examiner's statements.

Respectfully submitted,
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